

The Marcophily of Hudson, New York, 1793 - 1919

ORGANIZATION OF EXHIBIT: This exhibit is loosely arranged chronologically with some overlapping for most markings; grouping is based on the date stamp used (straight line, fancy, circular), variables including type of obliterator, die font, color, and auxiliary markings appearing.

STAMPLESS COVERS: 1793 - 1854

Straight Line Cancels 1793 - 1801.
Fancy Scroll Circular Date Stamps 1801 - 1823.
Rimless Circular Date Stamps 1820 - 1823.
Circular Date Stamps 27mm 1820 - 1830.
Circular Date Stamps 28mm 1831 - 1835.
Circular Date Stamps 30mm 1837 - 1851.
Integral Rate Date Stamps 32mm 1851 - 1854.
Independent Mail.
Steam Boat Mail.

FRANKED COVERS: 1851 - 1919

Integral Rate Date Stamps 1851 - 1854.
Circular Date Stamps 32mm 1854 - 1858.
Circular Date Stamps 31mm 1855.
Circular Date Stamps 26mm 1860's.
Double Circle Date Stamps 1861 - 1868.
Circular Date Stamps 25mm 1857 - 1875.
Circular Date Stamps 27mm 1875 - 1885.
Circular Date Stamps 28mm 1884 - 1893.
Circular Date Stamps 26mm 1896 - 1899.
Attached Year Stamps 1909 - 1912.
Straight Line Hand Stamps 1909 - 1917.
Machine Cancellations 1900 - 1919.

INSTRUCTIONAL MARKINGS: including Money Order Business, Missent, Forward, Receiving, and Due markings are interspersed roughly chronologically.



Straight Line Postmark "Hudson," 25 x 4mm with comma. Used only in 1794.
Docketed Nov. 27. Free frank of Cotton Gelston, first Postmaster of Hudson.
Typeset, one of five examples recorded.